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Several downtown roads in Elba getting facelift

project first revealed itself last early this week was S&C. Tuesday of next week with the

The project was made avail- to being Wednesday of this Village and Mulberry Heights

view the road obstruction as an estimated \$7,000 to \$8,000, asphalt, Grantham said the roads

Crooked bridge project gets green light



Local citizens received an answer to their come out and remain out. A couple of the factors grandmother who is raising two question Tuesday. Sept. 3, as to whether the behind this decision included the levee project grandchildren, and she has met

allow the removal of the bridge originally was render the structure dangerous. had been put on hold. At that time, it was ing to the bridge.

had received a green light to begin again. bridge. The estimated time for the removal of the be able to do so." on donations and volunteers community the size of Elba: "By the end of the week last week, we were bridge is 50 working day, and Adams said he A Habitat home is sold to the from within the community to however, those who have been told to go ahead with the project," said Jim feels sure the contractor will complete the work recipient at the cost of the house help keep the cost of the home able to donate their time have Adams, a representative of the DOT office in by that time.

the project had already been let to a contractor. and beyond.

He said a decision was made quite some time Elba, will be the Olean Smith ago by state DOT officials that the bridge was to family. Smith is a single parent

(DOT) officials passed along the word some time bridge, once again erected construction warning ber, said following the during the morning last Tuesday that the project signs Tuesday morning along the roadways lead- announcement of the plans for with no interest. With Habitat down.

Fast forward to one week later, and it became Whitewater Creek was officially closed, and one to become a homeowner on funding through private Jim Nichols said volunteer work clear very early in the morning that the project workers began the process of removing the when they otherwise would not organizations, it really depends has proven to be a challenge in a

A crew with Grady Ralls and Sons was already Adams said there was not much he could say in place and working Tuesday morning. The picabout the hold up of the project other than sever- ture above shows grooves being made in the conal meetings were held last week, and a decision crete part of the bridge. Those involved with the to continue was made especially considering that - project feel it will move smoothly from this point

Stephens honored for years of service as commissioner

Coffee County Commissioner County Commissioner and Robert Stephens was honored ACCA president Billy Ray Elba Tigers will travel to for 16 years of service to his Williams. "Considering the Lowndes County to comcounty and the State

of Alabama during the 74th Annual Convention of the Association of County Commissions of Alabama. Commissioner Stephens was hon-

ored with the Tenure in Office Association.

Stephens deserves the thanks of years in office. The award is all Alabamians for his dedica- given to commemorate the tion to public service and his 16th, 20th, 24th, etc. year in ce," said Etowah office.



The Tenure in Rebels will travel to Robert Stephens sioners who have to honor commis-

served at least 16

NOTICE

On Friday, Sept. 6, the challenges county pete against Central High of Hayneville; the New Commissioner Brockton Gamecocks will Stephens deserves a travel to Red Level; the pat on the back from Kinston Bulldogs will be at veryone in his home taking on Houston

Office Award is Pleasant Home; and the presented annually Brantley Bulldogs will travby the Association el in Cottonwood.

County; the Zion Chapel



the paving process to follow City officials said they hope the road paving project will be complete by early next week. Other paving projects are expected in the near future.

Habitat home nearing completion in Elba

by Linda Hodge, Editor The Habitat for Humanity of Coffee County held a groundbreaking ceremony at the site of

its second home in December of last year. Now, several months later, that scoop of dirt has become an almost complete The recipient family of the home, which is being built in



Also, highway department officials have been "The mission of Habitat for Humanity of Coffee County is nearing completion. Groundbreaking The project to permanently close Alabama reporting for more than 10 years that the bridge Humanity is to eliminate sub-ceremonies for the home, being built in Elba, were held in December Highway 125 at Whitewater Creek in Elba to has "slipped" and any additional slippage could standard housing in the world of last year. Habitat board members are hopeful that the home will be one house at a time," Daniel ready for the Ofean Smith family to move in very soon. Local volscheduled to begin last Tuesday, Aug. 27; how- With the decision made, Grady Ralls and Sons Stephens, Habitat for Humanity unteers have been a great help in completing the project, and sever ever, Alabama Department of Transportation Inc., the company contracted to remove the of Coffee County board mem- all were on hand Tuesday morning taking care of business.

the home in Elba, "It also pro- for Humanity being a non-profit Habitat for Humanity of unknown when the project would resume. At that point, Alabama Highway 125 at vides an opportunity for some- organization which relies solely. Coffee County board member

Area Happenings

COFFEE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION will hold its they began volunteering in regular monthly meeting Thursday, Sept. 5 (Tonight), at 6:30 p.m. at the central office located on Reddoch Hill in Elba.

COFFEE COUNTY REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE will hold a Grand Opening of the Republican Headquarters Saturday, Sept. 7, at 7 p.m. at 101 N. Main Street, Enterprise. Those candidates to be present include Congressman Terry Everett, Judge Pam Baschab (Court of Criminal Appeals); candidate for State Auditor Beth Chapman; candidate for State Board of Education, Betty Peters; as well as local candidates. Refreshments will be served and the public is invited.

COFFEE COUNTY COMMISSION will hold its regular bimonthly meeting Monday, Sept. 9, at 9 a.m. in the community com of the county complex in New Brockton.

NEW BROCKTON TOWN COUNCIL will hold its monthly seeting Monday, Sept. 9, at 7 p.m. in the council chambers at the New Brockton Town Hall. The water board will meet prior to the council at 5:30 p.m.

LBA BAND BOOSTERS will hold a meeting Monday, Sept.

SPECIAL PRAYER SERVICE will be held at New Ebene apthy Church (Curtis) on Wednesday Sept. 11, at 6:30 p.m., embrance of the Sept. 11 bombings. Everyone is invited in

made a wonderful difference. He spoke fondly of a group of agribusiness students from Enterprise High School that have worked continuously throughout the project. He said January by digging the footing of the home and have worked on various projects throughout the construction of the home. On Tuesday of this week members of the local chapter of AARP were found in and

around the house. The members were busying themselves by painting the walls within the home. The members quickly and lightheartedly indicated that they would only work for free for Habitat for Humanity.

Other volunteers spending some time at the house on Tuesday were outside cleaning the brick.

Nichols said once the painting is complete, the project will focus on getting the carpet flooring and tile placed. Then, the home will be ready for the installation of the appliances. heating and air conditioning. Although no time span was

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David and Jackie Stinson.

EDITORIAL

With Ferrin Cox

The removal of the "crooked bridge" over Whitewater Creek is A lot of reflecting will go on increasing airline passenger safe. On July 10, the US House flights underway again as of Tuesday morning of this week. This is the sec-next week, as Americans look ty. Yet the single most effective passed the "Arming Pilots Pilots deserve the right to pro ond start and apparently this one will be "it". The big machines are back on the events of that dark defense against terrorist attempts. Against Terrorism Act." (HR tect our skies from terror as the actually breaking off parts of the bridge as this is being written. As day of September 11, 2001. to gain control of airliners could 4635) by a strong 310-113 vote. Tast line of defense. I am hopewe understand it now, a phone call to Montgomery last week result. In addition to memorializing be put into effect rather quickly. I was pleased to support this ful this legislation will also pass ed in the project being put on hold while highway department the thousands of our fellow. By allowing airline pilots to common sense bill. The legisla- the Senate this year, (DOT) officials reviewed the pros and cons of the project. Then fol- countrymen murdered by terror- carry a gun in the cockpit, we tion would deputize qualified lowing several days of the project being in this "holding pattern". ists, it will be hard not to think, would create a significant deter-volunteer pilots of passenger airlate last week DOT gave the contractor the green light to proceed how things might have turned rent to would be hijackers and craft and provide them similar with his demolition work. Some of those who vigorously opposed out had we taken some common derrorists. the removal are still upset, but said earlier today that they "just start-sense precautions prior to 9/11. At present, if a terrorist is able program in order to safely proed too late to get it (the bridge removal) stopped." Frankly we were For example, it is quite possible to smuggle a weapon on board an text their aircraft. The effective holding our breath because the entire levee rehab project had that events could have been dra aircraft, he will likely be the only would be immediate as the gov already been let to the low bidder, etc., and any changes of this mag-matically different had airline person armed since air marshals erminent would be required to nitude would upset that apple cart. If for some reason the DOT had pilots been allowed access to are present on only two percent begin training pilots within two done an about face on removing the bridge, the Corp. of Engineers - firearms in their cockpits for of all flights. This places the ter - months of the enactment of the would have had to redraw their plans, adding in another of those their defense and the defense of rorist at a considerable advant legislation. sliding gate assemblies into the levee and also adding quite a bit their passengers. more cost. This added cost is what frightened us because we had no ... In the twelve months since the would have the opportunity to voiced nearly unanumous support idea where the additional money could have come from!! The cost terrorist attacks on America, the prevent attackers from gaining for using firearms to protect their of fixing (or replacing) the bridge was also a concern but not near- nation has taken many steps to control of their aircraft, especial, passengers, their planes and ly to the degree of the levee redesign. Anyway no one asked our lessen the likelihood of a repeat ly with the installation of bardconcerns nor did we offer to publically share them until the dust had of those terrible events. Most of ened cockpit doors which would settled, and it was time to write this column.

Those of you who read our news article about the Chamber of Department of Homeland Today, if terrorists were to try Commerce annual banquet in last week's paper need to read the Security that passed the House to seize control of an aircraft and revised announcement somewhere in today's paper. It seems that but has been stalled in the threaten to use it as a weapon, as after the announcement was made, a whole lot of changes took. Senate, and the implementation was done on September 11, there place, including the location of the annual gala event. If you still do of high tech airline baggage and are few options short of shooting not get the word on the change in location, just call the local police passenger screening, which have down the aircraft. While the department and ask them to please come hold hands with a confused so far only reached a small num-government has armed F-16's at you and me and lead us to the correct banquet site in time for the ber of America's airports.

College football is underway in America. The first round saw sure that might have the greatest and on the ground. We must take Alabama "almost" get beat; Auburn "almost" win and Troy State, immediate impact on airline steps to safeguard as man well, Troy State played a right respectible game against the mighty safety - arming airline pilots - has American lives as possible Nebraska Cornhuskers. After the game, we read that the Troy play-passed only the House and is before terrorists can get the ers had gone up there fully expecting to win and this is an admirable attitude, but ..., really did anyone expect the Troy team to do more than make an honorable showing?

While we are on college football, it's time to complain or more accurately join some of the other complainers. When the University The Elba Police Department, revoked driver's license and one of Alabama/Birmingham announced several years ago that they beginning Monday, August 26. for no insurance were starting a football program, we shuddered because of the 2002, investigated the following. Daily activity highlights added expense which goes with such a move(and never stops). Now incidents, one animal at large, the week were as follows: many others are shuddering for the same reasons. It has gotten so four for theft of property, one MONDAY, AUGUST 26 bad that the hospital folks have separated their money from the lost property, one criminal tres- River stage - 3.44 feet (6.2) school's money because of the cash drain caused by the football passing, two for harassment, [a.m.); Routine activity. program. It seems a group of Birmingham business folks wanted the cone breaking and entering of a football team, but thus far have not wanted it bad enough to put up. vehicle, one criminal tampering TUESDAY, AUGUST 27 the necessary money to pay the ongoing bills. If that wasn't bad and one driving under the influ- Coffee County EMS dispate UAB program, Huntingdon College in Montgomery announced it. The following arrests were 87 North (7:18 a.m.); Coffee was starting a football program! It is hard to understand how made one for driving under the ! County EMS dispatched to an schools like Huntingdon have survived so long without a football influence, one for farlure to accident at Head Start (10:00 team, but now suddenly need it "to bring in the extra money."

ELBA GENERAL HOSPITAL REPORT

Elba General Hospital had the Idelle Smith following patients admitted dur- Persons discharged during the ving with a suspended driver's River stage - 3.88 feet (7:02 ing the time period of August same time period were: Mary license, one for driving with a a.m.). Breaking and entering in 26, 2002, through September 1, Patterson, Joshua Moore, Willie 2002. They were: Gerald McClain, Katie Johnson, Jesse Wiggins, Jessie Stackhouse, Stackhouse, Gerald Wiggins, Elaine Bartron, Ashley Deanna Hill, Mavis LeGear. Chandler, Cornelia Holmes, Ashley Chandler, Betty Wilson, Katie Johnson, Charles Grant, Elaine Bartron, James Skinner, Willie McClain, Mary Charles Grant, Ashton LeGear, Patterson, James Skinner, Louise Nicholson, Cornelia Ashton LeGear, Geraldine Holmes, Frances Johnson, Ruby Wilson, Ruby Williamson, Lisa
Dasher, Louise Nicholson,
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Williamson, Scarlette Napper,
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Arming pilots is best "last" defense

by Congressman Terry Everett stalled in the Senate.

these steps are still in the devel remove the terrorists' ability to opment stages, like the new take the flight crew by surprise.

It is ironic that nearly a year clearly not the best solution to after September 11 the one mea-protect the public both in the air

Elba Police Report

appear and one for domestic a.m.); 2-vehicle accident report-

three for speeding, two for dri- WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28

ELBA CITY COUNCIL 2nd & feet (6:07 a.m.); 1-vehicle acci-

ollowing 2nd Monday-6 p.m. - City 87 South (4:52 p.m.); Civil dis-

LIONS CLUB - 2nd & 4th Tues - 14651 Hwy, 87 S (3:15 a.m.);

3rd Monday of each month- 7 p.m. - EMS dispatched to Taylor Mill BAND BOOSTERS - 1st Mon. - 7 Oaks (4:49 p.m.); Disturbance

om. Band Room @ Elba High School reported at the Elba Villas DFFICER - Mon-Fri. 8-12 noon & Building C (11:51 p.m.).

St. (9:23 p.m.).

the week were as follows: six p.m.).

for violation of the seat belt law

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Methodist Church-enter on side on W.

mmunity Room in Farm Center

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7:30 p.m. Legion Hall , Troy Hwy, MASONIC LODGE 170 - 1st &

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rd Monday - 7 p.m. - Etha High boys seker room

HUNTERS ASSN. - 3rd Sat. - 3 p.m -

Davis St.-Maggie Garrett Classroom.

COFFEE COUNTY COMMIS-

SION -2nd & 4th Monday

omplex @ New Brockton

Traffic citations issued during Mill Rd. and Kennedy (6:33

ed at the intersection of Taylor

progress reported at 1167 North

THURSDAY, AUGUST 29

FRIDAY, AUGUST 30 - River

stage - 6.41 feet (6:16 a.m.);

Highland Dr. (7:10 a.m.);

Accident reported on Caroline

St. (7:13 a.m.); Coffee County

EMS dispatched to the vehicle

accident on Caroline St. (7:13

a.m.); Minor accident reported

at the Elba Marketplace (7:32

p.m.); Coffee County EMS dis-

patched to 1032 Martin Luther

Subject with a gun reported in

Mulberry Heights at the park

(12:25 a.m.); River stage - 5.82

dent reported near 20668 Hwy.

turbance (fighting) reported at

117 Dunham (5:18 p.m.); Minor

accident reported at 1625 Parker

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

Possible prowler reported at

Prowler reported in the resi-

dence at 14651 Hwy. 87 S (4:17

a.m.); River stage - 5.18 feet

(6:14 a.m.); Coffee County

EMS dispatched to Taylor Mill

Notice

itinuing a program o

epairs and renovational forces the closure

King Dr., Lot 12 (10:45 p.m.).

SATURDAY, AUGUST 31

Alarm activated at 1798

a.m.); Routine activity.

River stage - 5.57 feet (6:14

2312 Rayburn House Office Bldg. From hardening cockpit doors giving our pilots the means to doors won't be completed until Washington, DC 20515 to hiring federal air marshals, protect their aircraft as a last next year and air marshals will

slow progress is being made in defense

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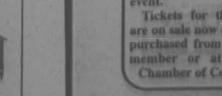
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Spicer receives appointment Representative Terry Spicer (D. Broadway, "When it came time to

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Elba) was appointed vice-chair- elect a new chair of the Education

tion marks the first time in more to chair this committee." than 20 years that an Alabama "It is important that we share were held Sept. 2, 2002 at the a.m. At all other times, the fam- Home in Elba with Rev. Bruce ters; Catherine Morris, Foley, legislator has been selected to ideas with legislators from other Zion Chapel Baptist Church ily will be at the home of his Williams and Rev. Mack King Ala., Christine Glenn, chair a Southern Legislative states," continued Speaker Cemetery with Rev. Mark father, Foy Mace (Cap) Reeves officiating Burial will follow Pensacola, Fla., Edna Pearl Conference committee. Broadway, "When we work Griffin officiating and Hayes Sr., 1281 Neil Grantham Dr., at Evergreen Cemetery of Elba. Pettrello, Cape Coral, Fla., lators from southern states would improve education within our ing.

tion." stated Representative region." Spicer "Preparing our state's chil- During the 2002 conference, Sarah and Roger Lee, Baptist Church, 4301 Hwy. from to compete in the global the Education Committee heard Kennesaw, Ga.; one son and 125, Elba, AL 36323. economy is among the most presentations on educational daughter-in-law; Adorn and Survivors include one son important challenges facing gov- accountability, the National Millie Jackson, Wasilla, Akt Jesse Foy Reeves, a student at ernment leaders today. The Writing Project, and the new No six grandchildren, three great- Auburn University; his father: Southern Legislative Child Left Behind" federal legis- grandchildren and one great Foy Mace (Cap) Reeves Sr., Education lation. Committee provides a forum in According to newly elected which legislators from other states Chairman of the Southern FOY MACE REEVES JR. Creel, both of Elba; and several.

Broadway According to Speaker Education Committee.

of volunteer work the Habitat

receives for the remaining pro-

As for future projects.

Nichols said the next home set

to be built by Habitat for

Humanity of Coffee County will

be constructed in Enterprise. He

said the organization is current-

in the process of finding a

Stephens has previously said

that house payments which are

tions to help build more homes

Again, any person or organi-

ation interested in volunteering.

time towards this project may

still do so and should contact a

member of the building commit-

tee for more information. In

Elba, volunteers can call Daniel

Habitat for Humanity of

After all, it is with the help of

Coffee County also welcomes

the community that Habitat for

Humanity of Coffee County will

Stephens or Jim Nichols.

through Habitat for Humanity.

man and chairman-elect of the Committee. I could think of no Southern Legislative other person who would serve the Education needs of the committee as well as Committee during the confer- Terry Terry's willingness to share VERA JACKSON August 3-7, 2002 in New Orleans, issues, and active involvement Rt. 1 Box 26A Jack, Ala., died ating.

Louisiana. with the Southern Legislative Aug. 30, 2002 at the Enterprise The Representative Spicer's selec- Conference made him a natural fit Nursing Home.

"I am honored that fellow legis- together, we not only help to Funeral Home of Elba direct- Elba. elect me to this leadership posi- respective states, but the entire Survivors include one ers be omitted and contribu- sons and daughters-in-law: great-grandchildren.

o legislators from other states dis-Representatives. Seth Hammett, at his residence after a uss education policy failures, we (D - Andalusia). "Four years ago, brief illness, Representative Spicer was time, he has served the House and Thomas Reeves.

ence's annual meeting held ideas, knowledge of education Mrs. Vera Jackson, age 89, of and Rev. Bruce Williams offici- Mr. Earl Stinson, age 75, of Dudley and Lisa Stinson, with the Southern Legislative Aug. 30, 2002 at the Enterprise The family will receive the Mobile Infirmary.

daughter and son-in-law: tions be made to Whitewater Danny and Vicky Stinson,

implement more successful edu- as Vice Chair of the House in Dale County to Foy Mace ation initiatives here at home." Education Committee. In that Reeves Sr. and the late Virginia

Sorrells Funeral Home Chapel

(Continued from Page One)

set for this project. Nichols said be able to reach its goal of build—can live and grow into all that he hopes Habitat for Humanity ing and renovating houses so. God intended while eliminating of Coffee County will be able to there are decent homes in decent poverty housing and homelesspresent the house keys to Smith communities in which people ness from the earth. in the very near future. However, he stressed this will



Members of the local chapter of AARP volunteered their time Tuesday, Sept. 3, to paint the inside of the Habitat for Humanity home being built in Elba. Some members rolled brushes up and down the walls while others took care of the trim work.

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Obituaries

can discuss successes and failures Legislative Conference and Mr. Foy Mace Reeves Jr., of nieces and nephews in education policy. By listening Speaker of the Alabama House of Opp, Ala., died Aug. 18, 2002 hopefully, can avoid mistakes and - Lappointed Representative Spicer - He was born Aug. 31, 1952.

nominated to chair the committee his constituents well. I am confi- Memorial services will be by the Speaker of the Arkansas dent that Representative Spicer held Saturday, Sept. 7, 2002 at

House of Representatives Shane will be an asset to the SLC's 11 a.m. from the Patterson-

with Rev. John McCrummen EARL STINSON

friends at the funeral home Funeral services will be held Elba, Derrick and Jennifer Graveside services and burial Saturday, Sept. 7, from 10-11 Sept. 5, 2002 at Hayes Funeral Stinson, Troy, Ala.; four sis-

The family asked that flow- Edna Sue Stinson, Elba; six 14 grandchildren and two

Elba; two sisters: Virginia (Ginger) Ann Long and Sami-

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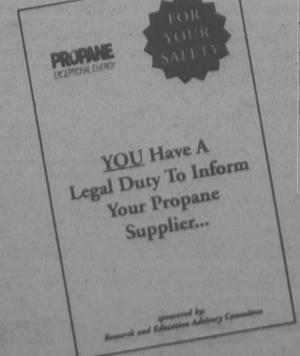
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891 COUNTY ROAD 367 Cemetery working set for Pleasant CH&A. Above Groun Pool w/ Small Deck Ridge Church

There will be a cemetery working for Pleasant Ridge Church on Saturday, Sept. 14. The purpose of this work is to prepare the church grounds for Homecoming which will be Sunday, Sept. 22. Interested parties are asked to come early and bring any tools needed to help clean Pleasant Ridge Church is located on Coffee County Road

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The second print of the Landmark Series being offered by the Elba Downtown Redevelopment Authority is now available. This print cap-

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Views from....

THE PRESSBOX

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

good opponent and should keep the Tigers' spirits high heading into Hillcrest, of Evergreen, 21-20.

was the fact the offense suffered only one turnover, and had only 8 one fumble in the game, despite playing on a soaked field. The Elba *** Class 1A - Pleasant Home was picked by many to be the top made it look easy last week in a 48-7 win over Zion Chapel, but this early score wiped off the board by a penalty. Points will be hard 0 for 3 week for the teams from Dothan. enough to come by this season without penalties.

The Elba defense allowed a couple of big plays to Brantley's FORGET THE RUN....HERE ARE SOME "PASSING" speedy backs, but held the Bulldog running game to only one yard THOUGHTS or less on sixteen snaps, and came up with four turnovers that directly led to both Elba touchdowns. The Elba defense had its backs to *** Alabama looked great for one quarter and average for the to Elba to lose several games. So, maybe this week the Bulldogs to see the pride on the defensive side of the ball.

must be addressed before the Tigers line up in some big region con- ceptions that hurt potential Trojan drives. I am not saying Troy State Florala 20 Ariton 15 tests. In Friday night's win over Brantley, Elba punted eight times would have won without the big plays. However, Troy State may Maplesville 27 Favetteville 6 for a 28 yard average, which included a six-yard punt from deep on very well be a lot better than many people think. Elba's end of the field. The Tigers also allowed 138 yards in returns *** After five inches of rain fell last Wednesday night here in Wicksburg 27 Geneva County 8 on three kickoffs, an average of over 44 yards per return, and every Elba it was feared that Tiger Stadium would be a muddy mess for Goshen 20 Keith 6 time the Tigers kicked off it looked like Brantley was going to run. Friday night's game against Brantley. While the field was wet, the Luverne 21 Highland Home I the kick right out of the stadium. Field position will play a big fachard work done on the field over the summer really paid off as the Houston Academy 17 Slocomb 1tor in upcoming games, and I know the Elba coaches will make corfooting was good and the players were able to move around without G.W. Long 14 Samson 12

to put two touchdowns on the scoreboard. It was a much needed week with losses to Montgomery Academy and Montgomery Ashford 27 Bullock County 18 week's preseason win over Samson.

AREA FOOTBALL TEAMS ENJOY MIXED SUCCESS

The high school football season opened last week all across the state, and since two of the local games involved four of the local POLISH PROGNOSTICATOR PICKS THE PREPS teams, it was obvious that the teams enjoyed mixed success. Here's a look back at week #1...

three touchdowns in the opening quarter to grab a quick 21-0 lead declared week #2 would be just as hard as was the opening week. and easily rolled to the win. The Gamecocks did make some mistakes that upset the coaching staff. However, the mistakes were the type that can be worked on in practice, and I am sure will be worked Combine to win 24th feature event on long and hard this week. After a few long seasons, the opening

week win was just what the doctor ordered for New Brockton. *** Zion Chapel (0-1) had high hopes heading into its season opener, but the youthful Rebels were simply no match for a veteran takes early that put them in a hole, and Zion Chapel was never really in the game. Zion Chapel did settle down in the second half and began to play better and with more confidence, and that should help By Mark Chisum the players this week as they watch the film and then take the field to work on their mistakes. Hey, most of the Rebels' mistakes were Doug Rogers won eleven Kroger and David Smith. Stacey Bedsole fifth. Galbreath held on to take the due to youth and inexperience, and there is only one way to cure Modified Features in 2001, cap- In the Roadrunner Feature. In a special appearance by the win. Teddy Sasser was third. those problems, and that is to get on the field and play.

*** Brantley (0-1) knew coming in that it would be short-hand- Modified track championship. led all forty laps to take his first was the winner holding off a late. Hutchinson fifth ed on offense due to the loss of its starting quarterback, and the Kim Bishop started racing in the win. The racing behind Bishop race challenge by Andy Pugh. For more information, contact Bulldog offense did commit four turnovers that led to both Elba Roadrunner division at South was intense with Jason Galbreath took the lead on lap the speedway at (334) 565 scores in last week's 13-0 loss. The Bulldogs showed glimpses of its Alabama Speedway just this Singletary, Gary Morse. Perry five, but a late race caution gave 3539. speed on offense and almost broke a long kickoff return, but when season. Although the fashion Boin, Ricky Osborn, Sam Pugh the opportunity to close up the 'Dogs got in close they struggled, and it showed with no points was a little different, both dri- Smith, and Jerry Hudson all on the scoreboard. Brantley has some very big region battles coming up that it needs to win, and the Bulldogs and their fans need to the 2002 season recently. quit worrying about who isn't on the field, and support the players Rogers started on the outside thing for Bishop as he pulled out that are on the field, and are giving their all on every play. Better pole in the 35-lapModified to a comfortable lead and was days are coming, and this team will be a solid 1A club very, very Feature. Mike Hasty grabbed never challenged for the lead.

OPENING WEEK OF PROVIDES A FEW SURPRISES

The opening week of the high school season is always filled with from the 11th starting spot, had In the Super Stock Feature, excitement, and also brings with it some early-season surprises. other plans, and recled Rogers David Ashley led flag to flag to Here is a quick look back at what took place last week....

Class 6A - Former Alabama coach Mike DuBose saw his lap. Kevin Peel was also able to Scotty Anderson would be able return to coaching result in a loss as Northview dropped a 7-0 deci- get past Rogers, but on lap 22, to challenge Ashley early on, sion to lowly Carver, of Montgomery. While it was true Northview Peel collected a lapped car and but Ashley's lead stabilized and failed to win last season, Carver entered the game with a 38-game took Rogers with him. Track Anderson retired on lap 27. Jody losing streak dating all the way back to 1998, and it was a game the rules put the pair back in their Henderson took over the second Cougars were supposed to win. Former Robert E. Lee and Georgia positions, but Peel retired to the spot but was no match for standout Larry Ware stole the glory from DuBose with his first ever pits before the race restarted. Ashley on this night. Rick win as the new head coach at Carver, and it looks like the folks in Rogers was back on Galbreath's Northey came across third, fol-Dothan that thought DuBose would work wonders might have to be bumper and presenting a stiff lowed by Todd Blackburn and patient through even more Northview struggles. Enterprise opened challenge for the lead. Harold Hurt. up a 31-0 halftime lead and coasted in with a 31-0 win over Carroll. Gibreath's night ended on tap 25. Brian Martin scored his thirof Ozark, and the Wildcat fans are already counting up the wins on but Rogers was far from home teenth Street Stock Feature win. of Ozark, and the Wildcat fans are already counting up the wins on but Rogers was far from home teenth Street Stock Feature win.

their schedule. The win was a big one for the 'Cats, but there are a free. Ken Gilson took up the Martin used the outside groove lot of big time opponents on the Enterprise schedule and one win challenge and could close to , to puss Scott Morse for the lead

doesn't make a season

*** Class 5A - Benjamin Russell opened defense of its state title
and ruined the return of Coach Ben Harris as the Wildcats manhandled Blount 42-14, in Pritchard. Many of the football fans down in

**Rogers' rear end, but could not on lap 20 of the 35-lap feature.

Chad Roberts also got by Morse and made a last lap effort to get

Rogers held Gibson off for the by Martin. Martin was able to Mobile thought Coach Harris could return home and work his magic remaining laps to take a well-hold Roberts off to take the win.

mmediately, but it looks like Blount simply played a better team in Too bad! its season debut. Closer to home. Charles Henderson opened with a 20-9 win over Andalusia in a game the Trojans needed to win. This ELBA VS. CENTRAL is supposed to be the season in which Charles Henderson makes its . The Elba Tigers will head into the woods of Lowndes County this 20-9 win over 4A Andalusia isn't exactly an endorsement of their Lions. The Tigers will be sailing high after last week's big win, but

So far, so good! Melanie has been back in school for almost a 14-13 decision to 6A McGill-Toolen in its season opener, and it long way from home month now and so far she has come to me twice for some help with looks like the Bulldags air of invincibility may be over, already. ELBA 20 CENTRAL 12 homework. The first time was with math, and between the two of us Closer to home, Dale County opened its season with a big 32-0 win we sat down and figured out just where she was having problems. over long time small school power G.W. Long, while Geneva KINSTON VS. HOUSTON COUNTY The second time was with science, and after we turned down her TV opened up a 36-0 halftime lead and rolled to a 36-6 win over ... The Kinston Bulldogs will open their season at home Friday night we easily found some answers that had been hiding from her. I know Geneva County. Opp put last year's 0-10 season in the past with an and will battle the Houston County Lions in an early-season region she is only in the eighth grade, but it still felt good to actually be impressive 13-10 win over Luverne, and Daleville looked very encounter. The Bulldogs proved in a preseason jamboree that they average in posting a 14-0 win over 2A Goshen.

TIGERS OPEN WITH SHUT OUT WIN OVER BRANTLEY

a 44-20 romp past 5A F cambia County, while the biggest news of the opening were was the County's 33-20 win over 5A power

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The Elba Tigers opened the high school football season last week against a very good Brantley Bulldog team and were able to hang a son loss to Charles Henderson and it was thought that dressing out 'W" on their side of the ledger by blanking the Bulldogs 13-0. The only 18 varsity players might take its toll, but the Bulldogs proved ZION CHAPEL VS. PLEASANT HOME. Tigers made some mistakes and will have to improve before they once again that any time a team comes to Brundidge anything can The Zion Chapel Rebels got thumped last week in their season get into the meat of region play. However, it was a good win over a happen. In a mild upset, W.S. Neal dropped its season opener to opener and this week must hit the road for a long bus ride to

their week #2 region showdown against Central, of Hayneville. *** Class 2A - A lot of Elba fans were impressed with Samson will be better prepared for the region contest than they were in week. The Elba offense rolled up over 200 yards in total offense in the win, with the Tiger tailbacks combined to gain 136 yards on the in Georgiana didn't feel the same way since the Panthers hammered.

Straughn, and might be too much for the Rebels to handle: night. The passing game was inconsistent and misfired more times. Samson 25-0 in week one action. Wicksburg got a win with a hard. PLEASANT HOME 27. ZION CHAPEL. 7. than it connected, but again showed it could make the big play at fought 15-9 win over a much improved Ariton team, and Slocomb any time, and will keep opposing defenses honest. The biggest plus lived up to its preseason billing by whipping Graceville, Florida 20 NEW BROCKTON VS. RED LEVEL

backs ran hard and protected the football at the same time, and that team in Region 2, and the Eagles may still sour before the season week must be clicking on all cylinders if they hope to bring a win helps keep drives alive and helps keep the defense off the field. The ends, but last week Straughn was way too much for its 1A visitors home from Red Level. The Tigers have been a 2A power for years. only real negative on the offensive side of the ball was penalties. as the 3A Tigers posted a 27-6 win. McKenzie got a big win by and have to be licking their lips in anticipation or chomping down The Tiger offense was flagged five times for 40 yards and had an upsetting Houston Academy 21-17, and the Raiders loss made it an on the Gamecocks. However, these birds know how to win, and this

its own endzone on a number of occasions, only to rise to the chal-next three in posting a wild 39-34 win over Middle Tennessee. The won't have any mistakes left on their side of the field and will be lenge time and time again, and recorded a shut out in its opening. Tide looked better than anyone ever expected in jumping out to its. hunting Bear when they arrive in Cottonwood. It is never easy to game. Another big plus for the defense was the fact 18 different quick 22-0 lead, but once things started going downhill it looked win on the road and Cottonwood has been a football power for players were in on tackles during the game. Elba's ability to keep like the Tide and its coaches had no cures for what was going years, but the guess here is that the 'Dogs will tree a few Bears this fresh players in the game paid big dividends, especially when wrong. One thing is for sure, the Crimson Tide will get a better week and get a much needed win Brantley got down close. The Tigers again showed a desire to hit gauge of how good it is this week against third-ranked Oklahoma. BRANTLEY 14 COTTONWOOD 7 anything that moved in an opposing colored jersey, and it was easy *** Troy State may have let one slip away in the Trojans' 31-16

loss to Nebraska. Troy allowed two long punt returns for touch- OTHER PICKS: The kicking game continued to have some early-season woes that downs that gave the Huskers a big lead, and suffered two big inter-

much slipping and sliding. Over 150 tons of sand were placed on the Lanett 41 Abi All in all, it was a very good win over a quality opponent and field during the summer to fill in low spots and raise the level of the Dadeville 35 Barbour County should help the Tigers gain confidence heading into this week's field, and it was evident during the game that it made a huge. Clarke County 39 Calhoun 6 region opener. The defense withstood numerous offensive threats by improvement. Last year the field was wet and slippery even when it T.R. Miller 24 Straughn 7 Brantley to record the shut-out, while the offense overcame having didn't rain, but Friday night it came through with flying colors. Pike County 22 W.S. Neal 20

an early score nullified by a penalty and cashed in on two turnovers *** In closing...the Elba volleyball team opened its season last Andalusia 32 Gulf Shores () win, and the Tigers definitely showed improvement since last Catholic, but by playing such teams early in the season, the Tigers Geneva 21 Dale County 14 should get better in a hurry and understand just how good really Daleville 21 Opp 7 good teams can be. The Elba team is still very young and inexperi- Rehobeth 20 Headland 8 enced at the varsity level. However, they will grab their share of the UMS-Wright 29 Monroe County headlines before it is all said and done.

Ye Ole Polish Prognosticator stopped by the office Sunday after- Auburn 17 Northview 3 *** New Brockton (1-0) made the short trip up to Zion Chapel noon still whining about how hard it is to pick the winners of high Central, PC 28 Smiths Station and enjoyed the game and the ride back home as they pounded the school games in week #1. The local guesspert hit on 16 of 23 picks. Prattville 14 Central, Tusc. 10 Rebels 48-7. The Gamecocks were expected to out man the youth- last week, which really wasn't all that bad, but he grumbled the Opelika 21 Jeff Davis 17 ful Rebels on both sides of the ball, and did just that as they scored whole time he was here and threw down this week's picks and Enterprise 24 Dothan 14

return to the top of the 5A ranks, and while the Trojans did win, a week for a key region battle against the Central, of Hayneville, the Lions are a very confident team when they play on their home *** Class 4A . Defending state champ UMS-Wright dropped a field and unless the Tigers come in ready, it could be a long night a

*** Class 3A - Newcomer T.R. Miller lit up the scoreboard with have to keep turnovers to a minimum this week if they are to have

The New Brockton Gameeocks made a lot of mistakes and still RED LEVEL 16 NEW BROCKTON 14

BRANTLEY VS. COTTONWOOD

The Brantley Bulldogs made enough mistakes last week in a loss

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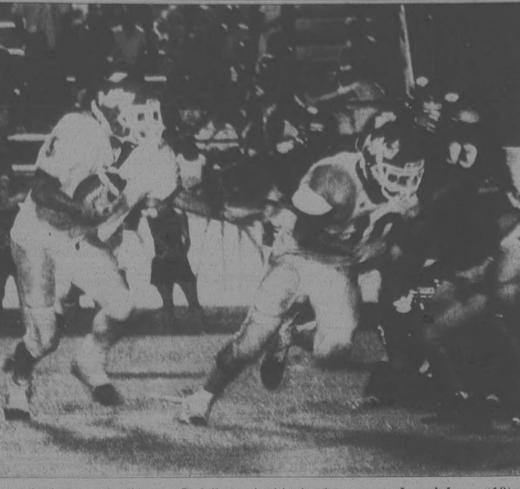
Doug Rogers and Brian Martin continue to New Brockton team hungry for a win. The Rebels made some mistakes early that put them in a hole, and Zion Chapel was never real-

the early lead before Rogers Singleatry was able to off the took the point on lap four and other challengers to finish secbuilt a good lead over the 15-car ond ahead of Morse, Boin and field. Curtis Galbreath, charging Osborn. in, and took the lead on the 12th collect the win. It appeared

behind him probably was a good

deserved win. Hasty finished Morse held on to third with on Galbreath Pugh was all over third, followed by Dwane Timbo Kendrick fourth and Galbreath at the end, but ping the season with the Bishop started from the pole and Vintage Cars, Curtis Galbreat Steve Joyner fourth, and Keith





Tigers 13-0 wni last week over Brantley. Petty complet-

for Elba is fullback Cherrelle Edwards (33).



Brantley's Devaris Skanes (5) follows the block of teammate Jamal Jones (10) as Elba Tiger tailback Quinton Moultry (6) looks for room to run as he follows Tiger he looks for running room against the Elba defense in Friday night's 13-0 loss to the tackle Freddy Mallory (78) in last week's big 13-0 season opening win over if Tigers, Trying to fight through the block by Jones is Elba's Cherrelle Edwards (33). Brantley Bulldogs. This week the Tigers will travel to battle the Central Lions

In season opener

Elba Tigers blank Brantley 13-0

y Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

The Elba Tigers opened the 2002 high school football season with bang Friday night as they blanked the Brantley Bulldogs 13-0, on The win gave Elba a 1-0 record and marked only the second time

second series and marched to a first down at the Brantley 11-

nd out ran the Brantley defenders 26 yards into the endzone. The Tiger touchdown was nullified by a penalty, but the Elba ected with Kyle English for an 18-yard completion. The Tigers Elba Tiger quarterback Brandon Petty (7) sits in the were hit with a holding penalty one play later; however, and this pocket, and looks downfield for an open receiver in the time Elba failed to overcome the serback as a Petry pass was inter-

ed three passes for 58 yards and scored one touchdown of the night on a 23-yard dash on the first play following the Brantley's Devaris Skanes gave the Bulldogs their initial firs to lead the Tigers to the win. Providing pass protection Tiger turnover, but the Brantley excitement was short-lived, as two team during a break in the action in Friday night's sea

Pierson pounced on a Bulldog bobble at the Brantley 41. The Elba offense failed to move the chains following the turnover and was forced to punt, but returned to the field only one play later battle the Central Lions, after the Tigers' Marcus Henderson recovered yet another Bulldog fumble. Elba began the series at the Brantley 18-yardline and quicky moved to the Brantley 6 on a 12-yard dash by Dougie Pierson. A five-yard penalty against Elba slowed the short scoring march, but at the Brantley 14, while the key play in the possession came Brantley gave the yardage back with a penalty of its own, and one fourth down and one at the Brantley six, when Pytty went off tax play later the Tigers were on the scoreboard as Pierson broke off le and gained three yards to keep the drive alive. Petry scored on tackle and scored from two yards out. Marcus Henderson booted the play later on a quarterback sneak, and although the extra-point to extra-point, and with 5:17 left in the second quarter Elba was on top

Brantley's fans came to their feet on the ensuing kick off as raced 79 yards to set the Brantley offense up at the Elba 11-yardline. the night to lead the way as the Tigers held on to claim the big 1 Devaris Skanes fielded the kick at the Bulldog 10-yardline and The Bulldogs moved to a fourth down and two at the Elba 3-yardine, but the Tiger defense rose to the challenge and led by Jason Curran stopped Marcel Stamps for no gain to turn back the Brantley ground attack, while Dougie Pierson added 36 yards and one touch scoring threat.

A short Elba punt and a 16-yard pass completion from Cedric Brundidge to Terrell Foster put the Bulldogs right back in scoring position at the Elba 14-yardine late in the quarter. However, an offensive pass interference penalty backed the Bulldogs up fifteen yards, and time ran out before Brantley could recover, as Elba caried the 7-0 lead in at intermission.

Brantley began its first two offensive series of the second half at he Elba 33-yardline, only to come away empty handed on both pos-

The first Bulldog possession started at the 33 after a 21-yard punt return by Terrell Foster, only to end on an unsuccessful fourth down play when Elba's Ralston Moore sacked Cedric Brundidge for a four-yard loss. The second Bulldog possession at the 33 came after a short six-

20, only to be turned back when on fourth down Derrick Thomas sacked Brundidge for an eight-yard loss. Elba failed to mount any offense after the defensive stand, but the Tigers got another big break when on the punt the Bulldogs fumbled

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plays later the Bulldogs returned the favor when Elba's Dougle son opener against Brantley. The Tigers will begin region play this week when they travel to Havnes the to

A 13-yard keeper by Brandon Petty gave the Tigers a first dox

failed, Elba's lead was up to 13-0 with 11:19 remaining in the gain Elba's Jessie Thigpen intercepted a screen pass by Marcel Stamp on the Bulldogs' next possession to stop a brief Brantley drive, and the Elba defense forced punts on Brantley's final two possession

0 season opening win-Todd Horstead gained 59 yards on 11 carries to lead the Elba down on 10 carries and Brandon Kelley added 36 yards on 4 carries Brandon Petty gained 20 yards on 6 carries and added a Tiger touch down. Brantley was sparked on offense by Devaris Skanes with 91

The Elba defense was paced by Jason Curran with 7 tackles and I assist, while Dougie Pierson had 5 tackles. I assist and a fumble recovery. Raiston Moore added 4 stops, 1 assist and a fumble recov ery and Patrick Tyson had 3 tackles and 2 assists.

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the ball and Elba's Ralston Moore recovered the Bulldog bobble at THE FOUR WAY TEST

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Home this week, while New Brockton will battle Red Level as both teams enter region - this Friday night when they travel to Red Level. competition.



Zion Chapel's Michael Rayburn (33) heads upfield for a big gain behind the block- A New Brocktron runner attempts to cut between two Zion Chapel defenders in last ing of teammates D., Stinson (75) and Hayden Osborn (24) in last week's season week's battle between the Gamecocks and Rebels. Closing in for the Rebels are opener against the New Brockton Gamecocks. New Brockton claimed the win 48-7 in Michael Rayburn (33) and Bobby Pennington (25). The Gamecocks opened the sea the annual renewal of the cross-county clash. Zion Chapel will travel to Pleasant son with a 48-7 win over the Rebels and will be looking to get an important region win

In cross-county clash

Gamecocks wreck Rebels 48-7





New Brockton's Tyler Simmons (44) drags a would-be Zion Chapel tackler as he fights for extra yardage. scoreboard first when Joe their lead to 34-0. Simmons gained 46 yards on 9 carries in the Gamecocks' big 48-7 season opening win over the

travel to Red Level:

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Gamecocks, Tanner Medley and the hole following the turnover, Randy Danford were the leading and scored a touchdown of its tacklers with 8 stops apiece, own when Tanner Medley burst while Tyler Simmons made 7 up the middle to block a Rebel tackles, Jody McCormick and punt, which LaNorris Smith

pleased with was how sloppy intercepted a Zion Chapel pass our offense played," added and returned the interception to many fumbles and penalties, but five-yard penalty, Sawyer went work out in practice this week." off a short pass to Ray Offensively, Ray Magwood, Magwood, who raced in for a was the game's leading rusher 12-yard scoring play. Tauwack with 111 yards on 13 carries, added the extra-point and the including a 12-yard touchdown Gamecocks were ahead 20-0 run. Tyler Simmons rushed 9 with :06 still left in the first

times for 46 yards, Randy quarter. Danford had 5 carries for 23 New Brockton's LaNorris yards. Sheridan Foster had 8 Smith set up the next Gamecock carries for 65 yards and Derrick score with a fumble recovery at Cook added I carry for a I-yard—the Zion Chapel 20-yardline, ouchdown run. Senior quarter- while it was Randy Danford that back Joe Sawyer hit on 3 of 4 got the call for the score and passes for 41 yards and 2 touch-responded with a 20-yard dash for the touchdown. Tauwack Zion Chapel was led on tacked on the extra-point, and defense by Michael Rayburn with 10:06 remaining in the secwith 11 tackles, while Macon ond quarter New Brockton's

Hodge added 8 stops and lead had ballooned to 27-0. Brandon Arnold had 6 tackles. The scoreboard remained at Junior tailback Josh Richards 27-0 until the 8:08 mark of the ed the Rebel offense with 64 third quarter, when Joe Sawyer yards on 8 carries, and Josh went back to the air and this Smith scored the only Zion time connected with Tyler Chapel touchdown on a 3-yard Simmons for an 11-yard scoring dash by Josh Richards, quarterstrike. Tauwack added the extra-The Gamecocks got on the point, as the Gamecocks upped

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punt by Tanner Medley. The third Gamecock score Zion Chapel head coach John Donaldson talks with "The one thing I was not was set up when Joe Sawyer his team during a heat time-out in last week's season opener against New Brockton. The Rebels will travel to Coach Clark. "We had way too the Rebel 7-yardline. After a Pleasant Home this week for their region opener.

> Randy Danford displayed his final horn the Gamecocks left defensive and offensive skills the field with the lopsided 48-7 on the Gamecocks next touch- win over the out manned down, as Danford stripped the Rebels. football away from a Rebel run- New Brockton will begin ner, scooped up the loose ball, region play next week when the and rambled 36 yards for a New Gamecocks travel to Red Level Brockton touchdown, Tauwack, to battle the 1-0 Red Level was true with the extra-point Tigers. attempt, and with 6:38 left in the "We will definitely have to third quarter the Gamecocks work on our offense and were celebrating with a 41-0 improve greatly to prepare for a

team with the talent of Red The Gamecocks' final score Level," said Coach Clark. "We of the night came with 9:54 will have to play much better remaining in the fourth quarter and reduce fumbles and penal when back-up quarterback ties if we hope to get a win." Derrick Cook took the snap on a quarterback sneak and scored from one yard out. The Tauwack extra-point was true, and New Brockton owned a big 48-0 lead over the Rebels.

Zion Chapel finally dented the scoreboard with 2:30 left in the game, when after a 36-yard back Josh Smith snuck it in from three yards out. Smith also added the extra-point, and at the

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"The Bear" got me

imn about the dangers of heat ting. I knew better.

backpack sprayer last week wife and son arrived home about tion, lie down and drink water. "We started practice back in when "The Bear" sneaked up on this time and were able to rub. I followed all their advice early August with only around me. I had intended to get an my legs (while I hollered) until I with the one exception of con-fifteen players," stated Coach arly start and quit spraying gained some relief. ducting my strenuous activity Marler, but have picked up little too long at The Chicken doing, if you are working or Ignoring this one common sense have been in school and will

elated illnesses. In this column, I had sprayed kudzu for a cou-exhaustion or worse, heat stroke talked about a colloquial say- ple of hours when a slight feel- even when drinking plenty of ment "The bear got me" or "The hat and drinking water from the tion will vary among individuals

Well, it seems that at least one lunch and lay down for a short, are right. utdoor columnist, namely nap. That's when The bear Medical experts warn us to yours truly, should go back and really grabbed me. Severe leg drink plenty of water, wear looseread some of his own columns cramps hit me in both legs fitting cotton clothes in light col- have been hard at work for the and take some of his own pre- almost at the same time. I'm not ors, wear a well-vented hat and past month in preparation for cautionary advice. Believe me talking about a calf cramp that conduct our activities early and the 2002 football season, and writing about heat exhaustion is can be discomforting enough, late in the day when possible. If Coach Marty Marler feels it is one thing, experiencing it first but I'm talking about legs you experience nausea, dizzi- time for his Tigers to leave the "locked up" from the groan to ness, headaches, vomiting or practice field and butt heads I was spraying kudzu with a my upturned toes. Luckily my fainting move to a cooler loca- with an opponent.

Wallace Community College to offer hunter safety courses this semester

courses at the Wallace from 1:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon. A finding education credits will be Campus in Dothan this fall. 3-day, evening option is avail- awarded to those completing the on the schedule that included teams are gone from the sched- OCT 7 GENEVA CO. AWAY Participants will learn proper able Sept. 30 and Oct. 1 and 3 course.

Here's how to get rid of those pesky squirrels Richard L. Petcher County Extension Agent

can take that will hopefully help squirrels.

are peanut butter, a peanut but- this can only be done in areas several delicious recipes.

apples. You may need to experi- is legal to use guns and either it ment a little to find the bait to is within squirrel season or you The first thing you need to know trap your particular squirrel. have special permission from the is that squirrels, unlike mice and Once you receive permission Department of Fish and Game. other rodents, are a protected from the Alabama Department. Of course, use all precautions of game animal. They are protected of Fish and Game to eliminate gun safety. One recommenda by the Alabama Department of the squirrels, you have several tion here is to put a stump in Fish and Game. If you are look- options to choose from. The first your back yard and use peanut ing to eradicate squirrels, you option is to use a rat-size snap butter again to attract the squirneed to give the Department of trap. Use the same bait as we rels. suggested for the "Have-a-Hart" The last step would be to

There are several steps you trap. The snap trap will kill the block the holes where the squirrels are entering your home. you get rid of your squirrel prob- There are no poisons regis- Knowing whether the squirrels lems. The first thing you can do tered for squirrels. Some people are inside or outside may be difis purchase a squirrel size do try the rat poisons, and it is ficult. So one way to do this is to "Have-a-Hart" trap. This trap is debatable whether they work or use a one-way door. Make the for catching live animals and not. However, they are not a door so that it will swing out but later you can release the squir- legal method. Some cats are not in. Use the one-way door rels at another location without good at catching squirrels, espe- until you know the squirrels are doing the squirrels any harm. cially if you put the cat in the out and then tack it down. You would need to bait this trap attic for a short period of time. Some people do eat squirrels. with a food that squirrels like. Another option is to simply We have a Wild Game Some of the baits of their choice shoot the squirrels. Of course, Cookbook in our office that has

MacArthur automotive instructor shares information

instruction to students on cam- owners and dealership service like the OTC Genisys. pus and to technicians world- managers I talk with are con- "I am especially pleased by feature many problems encoun- is to produce dependable entry- himself to be." tion) since May 2000.

tered in local automotive dealer- level technicians with sufficient ships or in the automotive lab at skill and integrity to perform in MacArthur. He has written for the twenty-first century field of

Motor Age (140,000 circula- auto repair," McCuistian stated. McCuistian is an ASE Master "One thing I've learned from Technician with nine certificathe volume of readers' e-mail is tions and more than 25 years of that there is a serious shortage experience in the field of automechanics. He assumed duties as automotive mechanics instructor in January 2001. The automotive laboratory

at Macarthur

now includes

state-of-the art

electronic

Richard McCuistian, automo- of trained, capable employees diagnostic equipment, including live mechanics instructor at who can be trusted to find a Snap-On/Sun's Computerized MacArthur State Technical problem and fix it right the first Digital Data Capture unit and College, provides cutting edge time," McCuistian said. "Shop cutting edge handheld scan tools

wide who read Motor Age mag-stantly on the lookout for the job Richard McCuistian is azine. A contributing editor to knowledgeable, dependable ser- doing," said MacArthur the magazine, McCuistian pro- vice technicians," he said. President Wayne Bennett. "I vides how-to instructions and "One of my primary purposes knew when we hired him in his experiences solving difficult in writing for Motor Age maga- 2001 that he was extremely automotive diagnostic prob- zine is to share useful informa- bright and talented. I didn't lems. The high-resolution photion with as many service tech-know that he was as dedicated, tographs appearing in the arti-nicians in the field as I can. My hard-working, and student-oricles are taken by Richard and ongoing mission at MacArthur ented as he has demonstrated

> ELBA TIGER VOLLEYBALL

Thursday, Sept. 5

Andalusia at Elba

(Jr-JV-V) 4:00

Saturday, Sept. 7 MAC ATTACK Tourney. in Montgomery

luesday, Sept. 10 Samson at Elba (Jr-JV-V) 4:00



2002 ELBA JUNIOR HIGH TIGERS knew what they were talking about they had gotten two hot Though I didn't really feel that or out in the open during early but it doesn't have to be that much activity. Sitting in a boat or out in the open during early Elba Junior Tigers looking for home, took a cool shower, had lunch and lay down for a short are right. dove season can be enough to get you in trouble if conditions a banner season in 2002

we originally had six games even though the Enterprise SEPT 26 GENEVA HOME

or most outdoor enthusiasts, officers who instruct the classes. 9:00 p.m. The final option is rolls along I know the players. Marler, "We dropped the unters for a safe experience the end of the last class session. All classes will be taught in scheduled to open the season on really wouldn't help us improve

Fall in south Alabama signals weapons handling, general safe- (Monday, Tuesday and are ready to play and will get both Enterprise Junior and ule, it is still a very competitive the beginning of hunting season ty habits and basic first aid from Thursday) from 5:30 p.m. better and better as the season. Dauphin Junior," added Coach schedule. and Wallace Community Students who take and pass the Nov. 2 and 9 (2 Saturdays) from are all ready to hit the field." Enterprise teams due to the fact. Following is the 2002 Elba College hopes to prepare area written exam administered at 7:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon. The Junior Tigers were that playing such big schools. Junior High football schedule: will receive certification for an room 101 of the Computer Tuesday night, Sept. 3, at home and reach our goals. We still SEPT. 3 The WCC department of cor- Alabama hunting license. Technology Center at the against Straughn, and will play have games against Opp and HOME porate and continuing education The first series will be offered Wallace Campus in Dothan a five game schedule this sea- Geneva, which are two very SEPT 10 GOSHEN HOME offering a series of hunter Sept. 7 and 14 (2 Saturdays) Registration is \$10, and 1.0 con-son, with three home games. solid junior high programs. So, SEPT, 19 OPP AWAY

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Sheena Flowers, Shawna Hill, Ayonna Proctor, Blake Brunson, Kaci

Editorial by Meredith English given time was covering that

September 11, 2001, brings how someone could hate anoth-

back memories and emotions er person. As I listened to the

most of us would like to forget. news-reporter go into detail

It is soon to be the one-year about how the Taliban lived and

anniversary of those terrorist what their culture was like, I

attacks, and the emotions and began to understand exactly

memories will soon be bom- why they attacked us. It was

Most everyone remembers but now I know why they did

where they were and what they not. We were free, and they

were doing when the attacks were not; that is the reason in a

U.S.S. Alabama with our As everyone knows, when

Industrial Clubs of America) thing good always comes with

school's V.I.C.A. (Vocational something bad happens, some-

happened. I was touring the nutshell.

story. Soon I began to realize

that they did not like America,

Justin Allen

Spotligh



In this week's Co-op Spotlight leading, softball, math team, grader Anna Anderson, scholar team, FHA, Student She is a student of EHS and cur- Government, Senior Beta, and a rently works with the Dorsey class officer. After graduating Trailer's Company. Anna is the daughter of Kim attended college at Troy State

and Angie Anderson. She is a University. Before teaching at member of the Ino Baptist Elba, Mrs. McLaughlin taught Church and is involved in sever- at Dale County High School in al activities at EHS such as: Midland City. includes cheerleading, dancing, McLaughlin. and collecting and picture different from any other school cle stands in the way.

Anderson, a proud student of that the students have."

EHS Marching Tiger Band celebrates 60th anniversary season. The uniform was a Maxwell, Mark Mills

by Kaci Grantham

eacher Mrs. McLaughlin grad-

lated from Ariton High School

where she was involved in many

school activities, such as cheer-

tion became very disturbed by marching on that field. We just continue to do so. the fact that there was no way had fun."



Editor:

Sheena Flowers

people, but it never would have games, playing mostly march- has 113 students, Elba's biggest and honesty. Fair behavior believe anyone could hold that realized how blessed we are to come this far without a man es. "Nothing difficult," said band since the 70s. The band involves making decisions with much hatred towards the United be American citizens. ove of music.

ber of the original marching pered over the past 60 years, Around 1940. Almon Strain band. "After all, we were just thanks to the support of the same attacks, any channel at any sent." who worked at the railroad sta- inexperienced musicians community and will hopefully way you would like to be treat-

Five Flags in Pensacola and Deann Smith attends Girls State the basic principles involved in

American citizenship. The students learn about the process of government by performing the

everyday work. Being selected as a delegate is one of the highest honors given to a high school student. She should have an interest in gov-Deann Smith was selected from the development of bills. She



Monday - Cinnamon Toast, Monday - Turkey Wiggle, Corn, 1/2 Apple, Cereal, Juice, Milk Butterbeans, Sweet Potato Patty, Tuesday - Breakfast on a Stick, Syrup, Cereal, Juice, Tuesday - Fishburger, Cole Slaw, Baked Beans, Applesauce, Milk Wednesday - Biscuit & Jelly, Sausage, Cereal, Juice, Milk Cob, 1/2 Apple, Milk Thursday - Scrambled Egg | Thursday - Hot Dog, Potato

Squares, Toast & Jelly, Rounds, California Style Vegetables, Cereal, Juice, Milk Apple Crisp, Milk Friday - Cheese Grits, Toast Friday - Beef Stew, Rice, Bread, 1/2 & Jelly, Cereal, Juice, Milk | Orange, Milk

BREAKFAST

Introducing the 2002-2003 Elbala staff

by Sheena Flowers

Well, here we are, ready to start off a fresh edition of Tiger Tales. We are a brand new staff hat is looking forward to bringing you the latest news about what is happening in and around our schools. We are a group of intelligent, multi-talented, ambiious students who are ready, illing, and able to do the best ob possible (not to toot our own horns!). Our teacher and sponsor, Mrs. Julie Norris, says that his year's staff is "very creative and willing to try new things." The 2002-2003 EHS ournalism Staff consists of one ophomore, Alex Benbow, and even juniors, Blake Brunson; Brittany Cooper, Katie Driggers, Meredith English; Kaci Grantham, Mary Katherine Head; and Ayonna "Yonnie" Proctor. The senior member include Kimberly Farris, Jessica Hathcock, Shawna Hill, and me, Members of the 2002-2203 Elbala staff include: Kimberly Farris It is very important to us to Grantham, Mary Katherine Head, Katie Driggers, Jessica Hathcock get feedback from the reader, so and Brittany Cooper. Not pictured is Alex Benbow. f you have any comments, complaints or suggestions please Remembering September 11, 2001

Letters to the Editor Sheena Flowers 371 Tiger Drive Elba, AL 36323

write to us. If we do a good job,

Playing

by Mary Katherine Head

The character trait for this organization, and I remember it. With these terrorist attacks, week is fairness, which feeling total disbelief. I was not our pride and loyalty for this Webster's Dictionary defines as sure I had heard the television country has shown through. I being marked by impartiality correctly. I just could not think most of us have finally others' thoughts and feelings in States. ed. Prime examples include: Justin Allen attends Boys State making just decisions, being understanding and listening to both sides of any story. Those

He rounded up a commonity Over the years, the Marching 60th anniversary reunion for all who practice fairness ultimately This summer Justin Allen youth that attend to appreciate the successful management of a democratic society.

When the youth first get there, they are split into towns named 1-12 and are elected to state offices. Justin Allen was placed into city 5 and elected to the answered, "I would, It looks House of Representatives. really good to colleges and is a "The sessions that were held good learning experience:"

there were designed to be as The camp only lasts one close as possible to the real ses- week; not nearly long enough to sions that go on at the Capitol," teach about our governments Allen said.

It is a high honor to attend The last question we asked Boys State as only 1 or maybe 2 Justin was, " After the camp students are able to attend the would you ever consider a camp, from one school, a year. career in politics?," and he gave When asked if he recommended a strong, "No, it's definitely not in her community. This year, such as executive decisions on other students apply to go, Allen for me."

Elba High School to attend Girls says the sessions and debates are Students discuss handbook issues should be allowed to decide

what kind of shoes that they likes of the Elba High School phones to school, they should Student Handbook. The hand- have access to the office phones book has been a subject of con- incase they need to call their troversy for many years at Elba parents. Still, I believe that the High and many opinions were handbook is important to keep-

ductive environment for the

SCHOOLS



Zion Chapel High School

Roy King attends NLC

Ms. Robin T. Philson, a Mrs. Bryan said Septembe

Community Relations was a good month for her. Not

Representative of BlueCross only is there money to buy

BlueShield of Alabama, pre- equipment for her department,

sented a check for \$2,000 to Mr. but she also won a 5 pound

Bob Andrews, principal of Zion Hershey Bar from the J.P.

Chapel Elementary School, This Chancey Company, Mrs. Bryan -

was late July. In September, Ms. attended the Alabama

Philson returned to Zion Chapel Career/Technical Teachers

and presented a check to Mrs. Association summer conference

Rachel Bryan for \$1,685. in Mobile where she visited a

will be used to buy books for the show she registered for the

elementary school's Reading candy bar give away. Her name

Initiative which is a research- was drawn, and the candy bar based reading program. The was sent to her. Needless to say,

\$1,685 to Mrs. Bryan is to pur- the students have wanted to

hase a laptop computer for the crack open the "big" bar every

Robin Philson presented a check in the amount of \$1,685 to

Rachel Bryan in September. This money will be used for the busi-

physics program for high school able to bring back information

students. It combines elements, to the schools where their stu-

of physics, geometry, math, dents would benefit and hope-

Monday - Cheese Toast, Fries, Baked Beans, Fruit, Milk

Syrup, Cereal, Juice, Milk Beans, Fruit, Rolls, Milk

ZC Agriscience department using battlebots

Battlebots-Robots competing send high school instructors to that we can represent Zion

against each other-gets your attend a week-long workshop Chapel High School and

LUNCH

Battlebots IQ is a competitive instructors who attended were Tournament.

ness department at Zion Chapel High School.

All of these components are gram.

BREAKFAST

Cereal, Juice, Milk

Cereal, Juice, Milk

Juice, Milk

The \$2,000 to Mr. Andrews trade show. While at the trade

Roy, Mrs. Bryan, and several

Opryland Hotel where the con- the Grand Ole Opry) and some vention was held. This was also sight-seeing. They went to

Leaders of America (FBLA). Roy earned the trip to more school st attended the FBLA National Nashville because he was a state. The last might of a Leadership Conference held in winner in a competition called held at Miraele Strip Par ashville Tennessee in June. FBLA Principals and Each squad had the opportu Roy was a member of the Procedures at the Alabama State to compete in a home approximately 90 member Conference last April. While he evaluation. Then each sq Alabama delegation. He was was at the conference he attend was allowed to spend the rest ed several motivational and the evening enj

instructional workshops spon- within the park sored by National FBLA. He The girls also competed in and Mrs. Bryan also did a little final evaluations and Camp shopping at the Opry Mills Championship", held on the Shopping Center (next door to last day of camp. The squad resent Zion Chapel on the UCA evaluation. Senior Kala Wambles (captain), Amanda the accomodations for the Hermitage, Tennessee, to see the for their cheers, dancing, stant parade in London, England. Senior, Amanda Perry said, Amber

Zion Chapel Varsity Cheerleaders go to camp



The 2002-2003 Zion Chapel High School Varsity Cheerleaders are: (front row, left to right) - Kala Bundrick, Whittney Stephens, Ashley Wambles, Amanda Perry, Christina McWaters, Amber Henderson, Meta Gatlin and Kim Rayburn; (back row, left to right) - Nicole Brown, Kristen McLendon

was awarded five superior gold All-Star 'squad. She now has Bundrick said. "Camp was so Perry (co-captain), Kala bons, and one excellent tibbon participate in a New Year's eve chance to go again next year." Stephens, Kim Rayburn. ing, and spirit Junior Whittney. The squad was also named the "Camp was a great learning Sophomores, Meta Gatlin, Stephens, was selected to top. Camp Champion in the cheer experience. It really made our Kenna Roberts, Nicole Brown,

BlueCross and BlueShield of Alabama presents checks

Freshmen, Christina McWaters. The 2002-2003 varsity cheer- The squad is sponsored by leaders are Seniors, Ashley Katherine Neis.

Zion Chapel has new principal

Mr. Jerry Barnes is the new transferring to Zion Chapel in principal at Zion Chapel High late July. School. Mr. Barnes has been an Mr. Barnes is a native of Opp. administrator in the Coffee Alabama, and graduated from County Schools for 22 years. Opp High School. He has three He was a classroom teacher and children, Shay, Natalie, and coach for 8 years before becom- Rhett. Shay, 23, is a senior at the ing the director of the Coffee University of Alabama and County Area Vocational Center Rhett, 14, is in the eighth grade New Brockton. After that in Opp. ssignment he became principal Mr. Barnes is married to the of Kinston High School before former Libby Cowen.

FFA holds first meeting Aug. 27 The Zion Chapel FFA chapter chapter of the open officer posi-Robin Philson, a community relations representative for held its first meeting of the year tions that were created by the BlueCross and BlueShield of Alabama, presented a check in the on August 27, 2002. President moving of the two elected offiamount of \$2,000 to Bob Andrews, principal of Zion Chapel Macon Hodge called the meet-, cers. Anna Miller, Secretary, ing to order. Reporter William asked the members to stand and McCurdy discussed the design introduce themselves by stating of the FFA t-shirts for this year. what grade they were in and Brandon Arnold, Vice what they hoped to achieve by President, brought up the issue taking a class in Agriculture. of having a speaker at some of. After the age da was covered the meetings. Student Advisor, the meeting was adjourned at

Sam Wambles, informed the 12:45 p.m. Special interest course offered at ESJC

Rachel Bryan won this 5- keting skills, prepare you for 19. The workshop will be held bound Hershey bar from the J.P. the one-on-one or panel inter- on Thursdays, September 26 hancey Company while visit- view, offer you tips for the tele- and October 3, 6:00-7:30 p.m. ige a trade show during the phone interview, and help you. For more information, calldabama Career/Technical to answer those crazy ques- 334-393-ESJ@, ext. 234. achers Association's summer tions that might be asked. A

Enterprise State Junior textbook must be purchased at College's new special interest the first class session for workshop, Winning the \$20.00. There is a \$20.00 fee nterview for the Job You, for this course, and the regis-Want, will increase your mar- tration deadline is September

SALUTE imagination going doesn't it? held in Boulder, Colorado, The Alabama as well at the National

Students of the Week

computer science, engineering, fully become very enthusiastic robotics, and metal fabrication. about participating in the pro-THE ENTERPRISE LEDGER integral in the technology of At Zion Chapel there are as a 7th Grade Student of the approximately 30 students in the Week. His picture was in the This is why Zion Chapel's program. So far, they have tried Ledger on Friday, August 30 Agriscience department is using to design a battlebot and learn. Amanda Perry, a senior, was this program to encourage stu- what type of horsepower will be also chosen a Student of the dents to broaden their thought required to move a 60 to 120 Week by the Ledger.

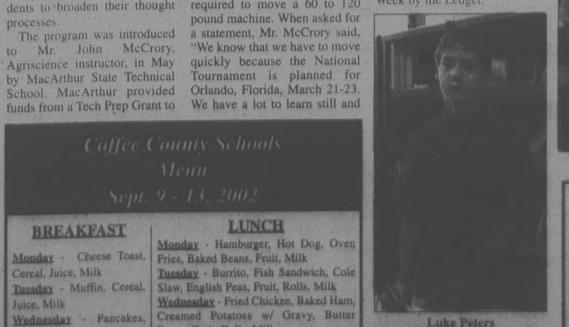
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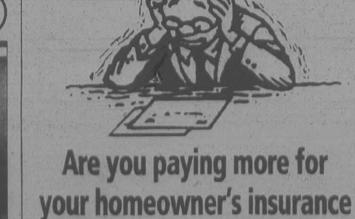


Luke Peters

Thursday - Cinnamon Thursday - Chicken Stir Fry, Barbecus Raisin Biscuit w/ Glaze, Sandwich, Tater Tots, Blackeyed Peas, Coreal, Juice Milk Friday - Sausage Pizza. Friday - Spaghetti, Corn Dog, Whole Kernel Corn, Onion Rings, Fruit, Garlie Bread, Milk





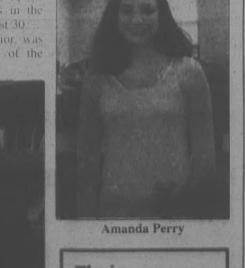


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Spanish Club and EHS Varsity Justin, age 11; Nick, age 9; and McLaughlin's philosophy for at Cheerleadering. Her hobbies her husband, Mr. Charles teaching is to be able to help each child reach their greatest horseback riding, scrapbooking When asked what makes Elba potential no matter what obstashe has taught, she replied, "The Elba High students and facul-

Congratulations to Anna pride and respect for authorities ty welcome Mrs. McLaughlin and hope she has a wonderful Mrs. McLaughlin's inspira- year.

white shirt and white pants for Lynwood Herb, Steve This year marks the 60th the boys, a white blouse and Thompson, Alan Armstrong, anniversary of the Elba High skirt for the girls, and a black Scott Bozeman, Mike Bright School Marching Tiger Band. sateen cape trimmed and lined and Jeff Ellis, who is the cur-The band is now a very strong in gold. The band performed rent band director. organization thanks to many during halftime at the football. This year the marching band

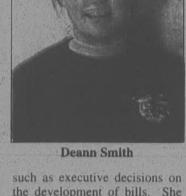
for people to get involved in Elba supported the new band, mization made up of the parents music without private lessons. and it soon grew. of band members, is planning a

The Band Boosters, an orga-

by Katie Driggers

duties of real office holders in ernment, possess leadership roles, and be actively involved

learned important aspects that students apply to go.



very real. She also says she Deann left the first Sunday in would like a career in politics

June headed to Troy State for the debating side but not the University to attend Girls State. long hours.

During the first week of want to wear to school. Also, I She was assigned to a fictional Girls State was a fun learning school, Mr. Carlile instructed do not agree with the students are a school asset was a fun learning school.

city of Dixebelle as a senator of experience for Deann, and she his class to write a short essay use of the office. Since student the nationalist party. She strongly recommends that other on explaining their likes and disarre not allowed to bring cell made known with this assign- ing our school a safe and pro-

Rae Walker, a ninth grade stu- teachers and the students to dent in Mr. Carlile's first block work and learn." Algebra class states, "Elba High Summer Stricklin, also a ninth School's handbook has some grade student in Mr. Carlile's rules that are very controversial. class stated, "I do not like the The first rule that I agree with is rule that says students are prothe dress code. Students should hibited from wearing flip flops. not be allowed to wear too short I do not think that they have the skirts or shorts to school. I also right to tell students that they agree with the "No Fight" poli- can not wear a certain pair of cy. People who fight and are pants, shoes or shirts to school. allowed to get away with it, may The only exceptions would be if believe that they can get away the were distracting or revealed with more. The last rule that I to much skin." igree with is corporal punishment. Corporal punishment makes students realize that they can not break a classroom rule

"There are several rules in the

handbook students find offen-

sive. I believe that students



THE AWARD-WINNING ENTERPRISE STATE JUNIOR Wallace Belcher, Mattie p.m., Greater New Zion M.B. Franz Strauss, Carl Maria von gram COLLEGE ENTERTAINERS, pictured at a recent retreat, are Belcher, Henry Hart, Mary L. Church on September 23, 2002 Weber Wolfrage Amadeus particular for the coming Christmas season. The Entertainers do not. English family. charge for their performances, but all donations are welcome. In ***September Birthdays - D.J. at 7.00 p.m., and Harris Temple resenting their fast-paced, choreographed program, the Belcher - September 5 Entertainers require an open floor area of 24' x 24' and access to a ***Helping Hands Program for September 25, 2002 at 7:00 p.m. grounded electrical outlet. To book the Entertainers contact Dr. Mrs. Catherine Waters will be ***14th Appreciation Program Richard Snyder at 334 393 I/SIC ext 349 or held September 28, 2002 at 6:30 will be held for Rev. and Sis.

Naomi and the Segos to be in Prayer Warriors. The Miller at 2:00 p.m. The guest speaker those remaining alive never experience what happens to those who have died and will die before the Lord returns? Concert at Elba Church of God Five of Elba, and The Gospel Today is a good day; be grate

Naomi and the Segos will be 2002 at 6:00 p.m.

"One Hundred Women in Hats" to be held at talent show at Enterprise State Greater Springhill Missionary Baptist Church Junior College in Enterprise. Hars" will be held at the Greater The guest speak will be Dr. African Heritage Society Reserve under the Delayed punished with everlasting destruction from the presence of the Springfield Missionary Baptist Juna Townsend, from Preservation of Cultural Training Program. Church of New Brockton - Enterprise

Forestry Students majoring in Scholarship applications are September 7

organization, the Farmers University, 107 Comer Hall,



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Wonders of Daleville, Ala. All-ful!

choirs, groups and soloist are

Family of Elba, The Spiritual will be Rev. Raymond Franklin

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scholarships at Auburn is January 15, 2003 Church plan revival ser- An enlistment in the reserve langels (Matthew 25:41). ege loans, and a Miss. Jack Assembly of God is \$5,000 cash bonus.

Classical Concert Series opens in Enterprise Sunday, September 8

The Episcopal Church of the Mozart, Marcel Bouchard (for Epiphany will open their second Flute and Horn), and Hermann eason of the Raymond Pappas Neuling Admission is free. The Memorial Concert Series performance is in the church, at Sunday, September 8 at 3 PM. 302 E. Grubbs Ave., Enterprise. The featured principal artist is The Raymond Pappas Larry Purdue, french horn, of Memorial Concert Series was

WHAT DOES THE BIBLE SAY ABOUT? A Service of the Elba Church of Christ

The Bible teaches that all men face physical death, but there Roads, Elba). Featuring The on Sunday, September 15, 2002 will also be some remaining alive when the Lord returns. Will who have died and will die before the Lord returns?

Ala. on September 7, 2002 from Alecia L. Robinson has In flaming fire taking vengeance on them that know not God. and 5:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. Featuring joined the United States Army that obey not the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ. Who shall be Deadline to apply for agriculture or forestry Jack Assembly of God itary training for up to 270 days. ment to be east into everlasting fire prepared for the devil and his

who will be agriculture's future vices for September 9-13 gives many new soldiers the But Christians who are alive need not worry about the day when option to learn a new skill, serve | the Lord comes in judgement, for they will go and meet the Lord deaders. Said Federation Jack Assembly of God their country, and become eligi- in the air, and forever be with him (1 Thessalonians 4.17). They restry at Auburn University | Executive | Director | Mike | Church will be having revival | ble to receive more than \$7,000 | will also meet those who will be caught up first, those who are services September 9 - 13 at 7 toward a college education. | dead in Christ (1 Thessalonians 4.16). Though the Christians apply for scholarships from the This is the 21st year the feder p.m. nightly. The evangelist will \$20,000 for repayment of col-The scholarships will be annual scholarships to be located on County Road 208 in After completion of basic mil "Behold, I shew you a mystery. We shall not all sleep, but we arded to students who plan to renewed, the student should the Jack Community. Everyone itary training, most soldiers shall all be changed. In a moment, lift the twinkling of an eye, at is invited to attend. receive advanced individual the last trump: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be urrolled, in Auburn's College of age and exhibit good moral

Barbecue to be held at training in their career job sperals and we shall be changed. For this corrupt-Agriculture or School of character and citizenship. Elba Church of God gricultural engineering or ag available in all county Farmers. The Elba Church of God will The recruit qualifies for a be none left behind, as the Lord said: "Marvel not at this: for the education also are eligible. Each Federation offices, local Alfa hold a Barbecue on Saturday, \$3,000 enlistment bonus. hour is coming, in the which all that are in the graves shall hear cholarship winner will receive service centers or by writing to September 7, 2002 beginning at Robinson, a 2002 graduate of his voice, And shall come forth, they that have done good, unto up to \$1.750 a year. the dean of the College of 11:00 a.m. Proceeds will go to Elba High School. Ala., has the resurrection of life, and they that have done evil, unto the res-"As the state's largest farm. Agriculture at: Auburn the church ministries. reported to Fort Leonard Wood: urrection of damnation" (John 5: 28-29). So those who are alive Waynesville. Mo., for basic and are Christians will go with the good unto the resurrection of Federation is proud to support Auburn University, AL 36849.

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Miss Amy Janet King, daugh- ing bouquets of roses, snapdrag-

Hall-King vows shared Saturday, July 13 at the First Baptist Church in Elba



THE ELBA CLIPPER • THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2002

Mr. and Mrs John Michael Hall

APAC sponsors Adoptive Parent Groups in and Mrs. Kimmey Ham, pianist, nephew of the bride. Dothan and Ozark

first Tuesday of each month families participating in the Wagner. The recessional was directed the wedding. Tuesday, September 3, 2002. Alabama's adoptive families, sang "O, Perfect Love", "Sweet. A long ivory skirted buffet table. Wallace. Jr. (Public service Roger Collamati of Mo-

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year and an increase of enroll- for the pinning ceremony.

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September 10, at 6:00 p.m. at are welcome.

ment from 15 last fall semester

re-embroidered Alencon lace branched candelabras. fashioned with a Sabrina neck- The bride's table was centered skirt swept to a bouffant back arrangements. headpiece was a forward arrangement of four peau de Pre Nuptial Parties sole roses centered with stems

of seed pearls with a bouffant Bridesmaid's Luncheon veil of imported illusion. Amy The bride, her attendants, and carried a white prayer book her family were honored with a lun-MacArthur State Technical College congratulates the first graduat- mother and two sisters had car- cheon on Friday, July 12, at the ing class of the newly accredited Surgical Technology Program. ried at their weddings topped. Magnolia Room in Enterprise. Pictured left to right are: Monica Bush of Opp, Janice Sims of with a cascading bouquet of Susan Smith and Catherine Kinston, Rosa Ball of Andalusia, Surgical Technology Instructor porcelana, sonia, and anna roses Watson, sisters of the bride, Beverly Walsingham, Marissa Barefoot of Kinston, and Flilica in soft summer colors. Family were hostesses. tradition was continued with her Surgical Technology Program at MacArthur great grandmother Warr's hand- Rehearsal Dinner kerchief tucked into her bridal Mrs. Marilyn Hall, mother of

After performing a self-study to 44 for this fall is truly amaz-sisters, Susan King Smith of with a buffet dinner after the and hosting a visiting team of ing." said President Wayne Birmingham, Ala., and rehearsal at the National peer reviewers this year. Bennett "Beverly Walsingham, Catherine King Watson of Security Conference Center in MacArthur State Technical Felicia Stallworth and all of our Evergreen, Ala., as matrons of Elba. A highlight of the evening College was notified in July that Health Sciences faculty have honor. Her other attendants were was the sharing of childhood the new Surgical Technology done a wonderful job." Emily Strong Rowland of memories by friends and family. Program has been accredited by Health Sciences Chairperson Orlando, Fla., cousin of the the Commission on Sara Goolsby stated that quali- bride, and Marla Kaye Vaughan Buffet Luncheon Accreditation of Allied Health fied surgical technologists are of Geneva, Ala., friend of the Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Strong. Education Programs. The pro- needed any time a person enters bride. Their gowns of azalea aunt and uncle of the bride, gram enrolled its first students an operating room for a surgical summer taffeta featured a sweet- entertained the bridal party with August 22, 2001, and had five procedure. "Now our school has heart neckline, cap sleeves and a a buffet luncheon at the church students to graduate August 22. the ability to provide a quality long bodice over a full-length apprior to the wedding. educational program to educate line skirt. They carried cascad-

ter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edwin ons, fugi mums, gerbera daisies, King of Troy, Alabama, and Mr. and kermit mums. The bride's John Michael Hall, son of Mrs. niece, Miss Elizabeth Chandler .B. Hall, Jr. and the late Mr. Smith of Birmingham served as Hall of McDonough, Ga., were a junior bridesmaid. Her dress united in marriage on Saturday. of azalea summer taffeta fea-July 13 at three o' clock in the tured a sleeveless bodice with a ofternoon at the First Baptist tea length skirt falling form soft Church of Elba. The ceremony box pleats at the raised waist. was performed by the Reverend She carried a nosegay of sum The groom was attended by

The spiral arched candelabra Alton Lamar Teems of Fort nd pairs of nine branched can- Walton Beach, Fla., as best man. delabra filled with white candles Groomsmen were John Caleb provided a background of can- Howard, nephew of the groom dlelight for the massive arrange- of Jonesboro, Ga., Robert ment of roses, snapdragons, fugi Milton King, brother of the mums, gerbera daisies, and ker- bride of Atlanta, Ga# and Grady mit mums in beautiful summer Franklin Miles of Long Beach. he chancel area. Jade palms, Brandon Warson of Evergreen, nixed greenery, and smaller flo- brothers-in-law of the bride. el with the outer edges marked Clarkson Blair Smith of Class of 1982 plan by nine branched candelabras

Birmingham, nephew of the bride. The heirloom white Swiss

20 year reunion dles. A single candle was placed batiste pillow he carried had for October 18-20 near the prayer bench in memo- been hand made by the bride's

Arrangements of greenery filled ried at the wedding of his parhe window ledges and marked ents. The honorary ring bearer he family pews. was Master Todd Brandon Mrs. Bob Roberson, organist, Watson, Jr. of Evergreen, presented a nuptial recital which For the wedding, Mrs. King. 389-4400, Mike Amison at 897included "God of Grace" by wore a floor length suit of pale 8301, or Florence Barnes at 356-Alabama Post Adoption Methodist Church next to Wal- Manz, "The Heavens Are vellow silk, Mrs. Hall wore a tea 8497 or 717-9635. Connections (APAC) sponsors. Mart in Ozark. The next meet. Telling" by Hayden, "Jesu, Joy length dress of pale pink sum-Adoptive Parent Groups in ing of the Ozark group is of Man's Desiring" by Bach, mer crepe Both wore shoulder Republican Women to Dothan and Ozark. The groups Thursday, September 12, 2002. "Traumerie" by Shumann, and corsages of porcelana roses. provide an educational and sup- All adoptive parents in the "Panis Angelicus" by Franck. Honored guests at the wed-

portive experience as well as the Wiregrass area are welcome to The processional was "Trumpet ding were Dr. and Mrs. Edgar in Enterprise opportunity for social interact attend the Dothan or Ozark Voluntary in D" by Purcell fol- Milton Warr of Elba, maternal Republican Women of Coffee on with other adoptive parents. group. As with all APAC ser-lowed by the traditional "Bridal" grandparents of the bride. The Dothan group meets the vices, there is no cost to the March from Lohengrin' by Henrietta Grimes of Elba Folks Restaurant, 650 Boll Alaina Nicole from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. at the group APAC is a collaborative. Wedding March from a After the wedding the bride's APAC office, located in Suite #9 effort between the Department Midsummer Night's Dream" by parents entertained at a recep-Dogwood Court at 3201 of Human Resources and Mendelssohn and the postlude tion in the church parlors. The their luncheon meeting, Judge Second birthday Montgomery Hwy. The next Children's Aid Society to pro- was "Ode To Joy" by guests were greeted by the Bill Thompson (court of Civil Alaina Nicole Co meeting of the Dothan group is vide education and support to Beethoven. Mr. Butch Oggs bridal couple and their mothers. Appeals, Place 2) and George daughter of Sherri (Watkin

from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. at other APAC services, please call. The bride entered the sanctu-five branched candelabras held. Grilled. White Fish, Baked ed her birthday with grandly Westview Heights United 673-0008 or 866-792-2960. ary on the arm of her father by an assortment of finger foods on Potato, Tossed Salad, and Drink ents To Watkins of Emerpro whom she was given in mar-silver trays. The silver punch for \$7.00 inclusive. The public Ala : Sandi and Dick Coll riage. She wore her mother's service was centered on a long is invited. For reservations call of Lake City. Fla. and her gown of white peau de soie and table flanked by two five Fay McCrary at 393-0471 brother Regen Contained Moody, AFB, Validosta, Ga fly bows at the waist and long in ivory and topped with roses. tapering sleeves ending in a The groom's table held a tiered for summer semester

bouquet. the groom, entertained members The bride was attended by her of the wedding party and family





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y of the groom's father, mother and was the pillow car- Elba High School Class of

County will be meeting at Po The Ozark group meets the sec. For more information on Sweet Spirit", and "The Lord's centered with a large floral Commissioner, Place 2) will be AFB. Valdosta. Ga to arrangement and flanked by two speaking. The menu will be on May 19, 2002. She cole

line, a fitted bodice with butter with a tiered wedding cake iced TSU announces area honor students

point over the wrist fastened rectangular cake topped with. Troy State University has earned a grade point avera with tiny covered buttons. From chocolate twigs and cherries. announced its honor students for 3.65 or higher on a 4.0 scale. the neckline to the hem was Guests were seated at round summer semester, according to recognized on the Provosi

scalloped re-embroidered tables with tall candelabras with Fred Davis, provost. List Alencon lace. The controlled rosebowl votives and floral Full-time undergraduate stu- Donita E Albright and A. dents who earned a 4.0 grade C. Maddox, both of Flba, w

with a bustle of unpressed pleats. Mr. and Mrs. Hall will be at point average for the spring named to the Chancellor's list ending in a peacock train. Her home in McDonough, Ga. semester are recognized on the and Curtis B. Davis and State Chancellor's List, the university M, Parker, both of Jack, wer ty's top honor roll. Full-time named to the Provost's List.



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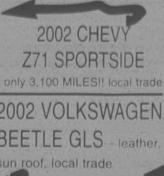
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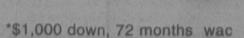




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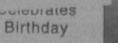
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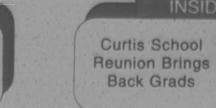
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As many people in Elba spent training session, and he said the seconds or 12 rockets within 60 last Saturday having fun and MLRS is replacing the Persian seconds. The missiles can travel individuals known as National than the old Persian System and ets can travel a distance of



Failure to yield causes two-vehicle collision



pickup truck as Marsha Farris, age 24, of Elba was traveling South on Hwy, 87 in a 2001 Pontiac lision. The accident was investigated by Officer Chris Giglio of the Elba Police Department, and units from Coffee County EMS and the Elba Fire Department also responded. As always, motorists are urged to use extreme caution while traveling through intersections, and with the closing of Alabama Hwy, 125 at the Whitewater Creek bridge (crooked bridge), more traffic will be traveling through the intersection of AL 203/AL 87. Therefore, local law enforcement officers strongly suggest motorists be extra cautious while traveling through this intersection.

Human case confirmed for Coffee County

New Brockton addresses mosquito and WNV issue

Council found mosquitoes and sites.

said it reportedly involves an local matching funds. 82-year-old woman from New With the town's financial

state will provide areas in need local donations and fund raising needed to help control the mos-needed for this particular grant. quito population. He said the Cole recommended that the town has to apply through the council approve the resolution. provide the needed materials passed.

department, we do have a prob- town would have to come up lem in Coffee County with mos- with in that it was less than the quitoes and the West Nile original percentage amount stat-Virus," Cole said. "We have ed. already targeted areas in New Cole said the engineer and

ring reading materials to its cit- Therefore, council mem

The mayor said anyone who indicated that the amount would knows of an area that might indeed be all that New Brockton need spraying should report it to will need to supply; however, it his/her councilman or county was the consensus of the council commissioner. He added that the that this would need to be Town of New Brockton is delive explained in further detail.

izens offering tips on how to Jody Stuckey made a motion avoid mosquitoes and things to that the resolution be tabled The New Brockton Town do to prevent potential breeding until the council could get more

the West Nile Virus (WNV) to A resolution regarding a Brockton's portion of the be a top concern Monday department of transportation money. Council member Ricky

"We have requested help grant the town gets it will not through the state." Cole said.

ask that money comes out of the woes in mind, Cole said any through the state," Cole said. ask that money comes out of the He continued by saying the general fund. He said he felt

since so many areas are asking A few of the council members "According to the health \$13,340.80 would be all that the every month at 7 p.m.

information regarding New

with the chemicals and sprayers efforts would supply the funds AREA FOOTBALL GAMES On Friday, Sept. 13, the Elba Tigers will be at home taking on the W.S. Neal Eagles, the New Brockton Gamecocks will be at home against Samson, the Kinston Bulldogs will travel to Ariton, the Zion Chapel Rebels county emergency management He said the council could still | will travel to Houston County and the Brantley Bulldogs will be agency, and it is hard to say decide not to go ahead with the at home against Pleasant Home. All games will begin at 7:30 p.m. when the state will be able to grant even with the resolution with the exception of the Zion Chapel game which will begin at

had questions as to whether the NEW SEASONS STUDY CLUB meets the third Tuesday of

SEE YOU AT THE POLE The Elba Recreation Center will be the site of a "See You At The Pole" Rally Wednesday, Sept. 18, from 7-8 p.m. for 7th-12th graders. Appearing will be the TSU Praise Band and First Assembly Drama Group with testimony Brockton for spraying when the architects were working with from Jonathan Lockett and guest speaker Nathan Carroll. Free the town on this project and had Pizza will also be available for those in attendance.

HAMBER BANOUET The Elba Chamber of Commerce will old its annual banquet Thursday, Sept. 26, 6:30 p.m., in the commons area at Elba High School. Dress for the event is casual.



Coffee County receives check to resurface roads

array of emotions Monday. With this he mentioned facing, He began by saying the morning. Sept. 9, as the regular \$246,000 in extra federal aid \$246,000 will go towards resurbimonthly meeting began with funds that the governor has facing County Road 308. He onversation regarding other resurfacing county roads; how- ber that Coffee County used

Commission Chairman Tom neer Randy Tindell for further rebuild two bridges on County



evening, Sept. 9, as the regular project for sidewalks in New Strickland supplied the second Representative Terry Spicer and Senator Jimmy Holley presentmonthly meeting of the board Brockton received mixed emo- to the motion, and it passed by a ed a check signed by Governor Don Siegelman equaling \$1,172,274 tions from the council members. 3-2 vote. Stuckey, Strickland to the Coffee County Commission Monday morning, Sept. 9. The Coffee County Commission for Mayor Charles Cole began by Cole said the grant for the and council member Ron money will be used for an extensive road resurfacing project within bringing in "one of the best" announcing that the first human case of the WNV in Coffee County has been confirmed. He County has been confirmed. He County has been confirmed. He County has been confirmed to supply \$13,340.80 in County has been confirmed. He County has been confirmed to supply \$13,340.80 in County has been confirmed. He County has been confirmed to supply \$13,340.80 in County has been confirmed to supply \$13,340.80 in County has been confirmed. He County has been confirmed to supply \$13,340.80 in County h

often said that we have raised great, but it is only a portion of ever, he turned to County engi- Amendment One funds t

Tindell continued his

County Rd. 127, 452 and a por tion of County Rd. 655. "We asked the DOT Department of Transportation to put all these projects into

one," Tindell said. The cost of the project is an estimated \$1,466,000, and Monday morning, Tindell announced that the DOT is providing Coffee County with \$1,172,000 for the resurfacing

ABC board makes drug arrest near Kinston over the weekend

William Ralph Rhoades, age Methamphetamine in the Coffee 62, was arrested Saturday morn- County area. This investigation ing, Sept. 7, and charged with is a joint effort of the Alabama two counts of Trafficking in Alcoholic Beverage Control Methamphetamine and one Board's Enforcement Division, count of Unlawful Distribution the Coffee County Sheriff's of a 4Controlled Substance Department and the Elba Police (Methamphetamine).

According to officials with the Alabama ABC Enforcement Division, Rhoades delivered and sold approximately 38 grams of Methamphetamine to law enforcement officers at a loca-

tion near Kinston. In addition to this, officers later recovered approximately 38 grams of Methamphetamine, digital scales, packaging materials and a pistol from Rhoades'

The estimated street value of the controlled substance seized is \$7,600.

This arrest is part of an ongoing investigation into the use

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Department.

Brockton Senior Citizen Center currently has new

orms for the Senior Citizen rescription Plan. Many senior citizens may salify for cheaper and up y applying for this plan.

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